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(Case No. 01-026 A)

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In re Application of: )  
Ali Akgun et al. )  
Serial No.: 09/899,365 )  
Filed: July 2, 2001 )  
For: Communication of Packet Arrival Times )  
To Cable Modem Termination System )  
And Uses Thereof )

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Commissioner of Patents  
Box Missing Parts  
Washington, DC 20231

Dear Sir:

In advance of the examination of the application, please amend the specification  
as follows:

At page 1, lines 27-28, rewrite the inventor Rozman information as follows:

a! - - Christopher J. Rozman, a citizen of the United States and a resident of  
Kildeer, Illinois - -

The change is made to add the middle initial of the inventor Rozman. Thus, a  
marked up version of the change is as follows:

Christopher J. Rozman, a citizen of the United States and a resident of Kildeer,  
Illinois.

The change is to reflect the full name of inventor Rozman as identified in the executed declaration and power of attorney submitted herewith in response to the missing parts notice.

Respectfully Submitted,

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Date: October 5, 2001

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#### CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

The undersigned hereby certifies that the foregoing PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT is being deposited as first class mail, postage prepaid, in an envelope addressed to Commissioner of Patents, BOX MISSING PARTS, Washington, D.C. 20231 on this 5th day of October, 2001.

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